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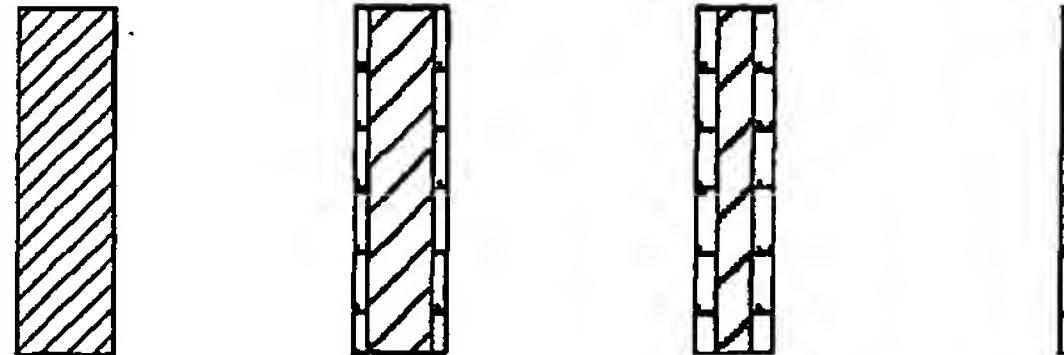
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(54) Title: BIOABSORBABLE IMPLANTABLE SUBSTRATE

Bioabsorption behaviour of implantable substrates according to the present invention



Implantation time →

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